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U.S. Patent Documents

5,585,866	Miller et al.	12/17/1996
5,805,763	Lawler et al.	09/08/1998
6,014,184	Knee et al.	01/11/2000
6,324,338	Wood et al.	11/27/2001
6,453,471	Klosterman	09/17/2002

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Foreign Patent Documents

PCT	WO	98/47283	10/22/1998
PCT	WO	00/04706	01/27/2000
PCT	WO	00/16548	03/23/2000

These documents are listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate) and copies are enclosed herewith.

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